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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: La Porta et al. EXAMINER: Ricardo M. Pizarro
APPLN. NO.: 09/813,016 GROUP: 2661 CONF. NO. 3893
FILED: 03/19/2001 DOCKET: LUC-305/LaPorta 50-8-56-4
TITLE: MULTIPLE-PROTOCOL HOME LOCATION REGISTER AND METHOD
OF USE

**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.137(B)**

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Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b) that the captioned application above be revived as a pending application of one unintentionally abandoned.

A Petition to Revive an Unintentionally Abandoned Application under 37 CFR §1.137(b) must be accompanied by (1) a showing that the entire delay in filing the required reply, from the due date for reply to the date of filing the petition, was unintentional because of a misunderstanding in a communication between the patent office and the applicant's attorney on or about December 29, 2006. The possible misunderstanding was discovered on or about December 29, 2006, which was confirmed in a subsequent investigation, and a Notice of Appeal and Appeal Brief were then prepared; (2) a petition fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(m), any outstanding response and a terminal disclaimer.

(1) The captioned application became abandoned for failure to timely respond to an Advisory Action dated April 19, 2006 and the failure to respond was unintentional.

(2) The petition fee of **\$1,500.00** as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(m) is hereby authorized to be charge to the **Carmen B. Patti & Associates, LLC Business Credit Card**. A Response to the

Advisory Action is attached and a terminal disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(c) is not required for the captioned application because it was filed after June 8, 1995.

In the event of under or overpayment of a fee at anytime during the prosecution of the subject application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit the **Carmen B. Patti & Associates, LLC Credit Card** the amount necessary to correct the error. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Applicants respectfully petition that the captioned application above be revived as a pending application.

Respectfully submitted,



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